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Mrs. Lea Again Heads PB Club

Election of officers for the PB Club at Carseland last week resulted in Mrs. L. Lea being elected president for the coming year.

The meeting was held last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Way and was well attended. A good deal of the meeting was concerned with the election of officers, and plans for the year. Other officers are Mrs. Bertha Hill-

lard, vice-president, and Mrs. Melvin Christensen succeeding Mrs. Kruse as Secretary.

U.F.W.A. MEET

Strathmore Local of the U.F.W.A. January meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Sis Downey with 11 members present.

Discussion of the lunch to be served at the U.F.A. dance on Feb. 6 followed and a committee of Rae Sackett, Hazel Risdon and Sis Downey was formed to see about the ordering. Hazel Watson, Laura Groves and Bine Rasmussen are in charge of various other departments on the night of the dance.

It was decided to accept the offer of Mrs. Christensen to buy one of the premium blankets and to give the other to Mr. Christensen as a token of appreciation of all the errands he has done for the group.

Nine members paid their membership fees for 1948.

Lunch was served by Rae Sackett and Olive Sorensen. Next meeting to be held February 12 at Olive Sorensen. Roll call will be exchange of valentines. Hazel Watson and Mrs. Christensen will serve.

RURAL GLEICHEN

After the Yuletide holidays Mrs. D. Sammons went to Brent to teach school, taking her youngest daughter, Georgina, with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordio Dafoe of DeWinton visited Mrs. Dafoe's mother, Mrs. B. Millan, also her sisters, Mrs. Geo. Bell, Mrs. K. McPhee and Mrs. G. H. Bell, Mrs. K. Phee and Mrs. G. H. Farquharson and other relatives recently.

After holidaying in Gleichen with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Varnell, Mr. George Varnell has returned to Terrance Bay, Ontario.

Mrs. R. Cunningham taught school last week for Miss M. C. Doyle, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wilson were hosts and hostesses to the U.F.A. & U.F.W.A. at their home Thursday afternoon. The U.F.W.A. meeting was presided over by the president Mrs. J. Wilson. Opening songs O Canada and Old Folks at Home, followed by repeating the "Creed". Roll call was answered by naming a city with your first initial.

A letter was read from Mrs. B. McKeever resigning as Secretary of the U.F.W.A. and her resignation was accepted. Mrs. F. Sammons said she would carry on for another year.

Legion Aux. Receives Charter

The Memorial Hall was en fete Friday evening last when the Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion arranged their first Social event since organization last February.

President Mrs. Tew and her group of able assistants spared no pains in arranging the many details, and the guests numbering about one hundred enjoyed a very happy evening. Bridge and Whist were played the following being prize winners Bridge—High scores, Mrs. Moore and Jack Hartell; Conso-

lation—Mrs. Thurston and Mr. Joe Robison, In Whist—Mrs. Al Morton and Mr. J. Mackie; Consolation—Mrs. Dankwerth and Mrs. Crory.

Legion President, Comrade Ian MacKenzie in very complimentary terms spoke the appreciation the Legion feel for the assistance on various occasions given by the ladies and the improvement they had made in various parts of the hall, and had stated that further plans were yet underway.

On behalf of the Legion he thanked the Ladies for their good work under the able leadership of Mrs. Tew. He then presented a nicely framed Charter to Mrs. Tew and wished the Auxiliary continued suc-

cess. Mrs. Tew accepted the Charter on behalf of the members, and thanked Comrade MacKenzie for his encouraging words.

The next pleasing feature was the presentation of a Past President's Badge to Comrade Cliff Way, this being the second P. P. Badge Comrade Way had received.

The party then gathered in the Dining Room where attractively arranged tables were waiting, from which an abundance of delicious refreshments were served and fully enjoyed.

A short dance followed, concluding a very successful and enjoyable evening.

Assembly at Jones'

Visitors in Strathmore Motors these days are almost sure to start asking questions about the amount of machinery standing about, and the process of construction.

It develops, when they do ask, that the pieces and parts are one section of a large consignment received by Strathmore Motors which will eventually be assembled into hydraulic stackers. The stacker, we are informed, has a variety of uses besides merely putting up hay. The machine is built to be fitted directly to a tractor, and forms rather a large and bulky piece of mechanism. That is why room is at such a premium in the garage these days.

NIGHTINGALE NOTES

By Mrs. F. H.

Sunday School will be held at Nightingale in the Community Hall on Sunday January 18, at 11 a.m.

Mrs. Howard Christoffersen was hostess to the Women's Institute at their regular meeting at the hall last Friday. A roll call suggestion for 1948 was given in answer to the roll call. The secretary's annual report showed there were 21 meetings in 1947 with average attendance of 159. The social and sick committees were appointed. It was decided to send \$15.00 to Wood's Christmas Home.

A circular from the Consumer's League of Canada created some discussion and a letter from Miss Hogg was enjoyed.

Some quilt blocks were turned in for the 1948 quilt. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance at the next meeting, Jan. 23, when the new sunshine friends will be decided.

A delicious tea was served at the close of a pleasant social hour. (Continued on Page Seven)

Preparation for the dance Feb. 6, sponsored by the U.F.A. are proceeding. The dance committee is Mrs. R. J. Burne, Mrs. D. Yule, Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. L. Koefoed and Mrs. J. A. MacArthur.

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Weddings to Interest Localities

WHEELER — TAYLOR

A pretty wedding was solemnized January 10 at 7 p.m. in the Beverly United Church of Edmonton when Verna May Taylor, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Taylor of Edmonton and Gale Collins Wheeler, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wheeler, exchanged vows with Rev. J. T. Stephens D. D. officiating.

The bride looked winsome in a gown of white satin fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice and full skirt with bustle effect in the back. Her three-quarter length veil was held in place by a bandeau of braided satin and orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a three strand pearl necklace, a gift of the groom. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty Roses.

The bride was attended by Miss Shirley Shurko, as maid of honor, who wore green nylon sheer and Miss Betty Shurko as bridesmaid wearing pink sheer chiffon. Their bouquets were of pink carnations.

Gene Thomas Wheeler, the groom's brother, was best man with Lyle Envidsen, cousin of the groom and Stanley Johnson, cousin of the bride, acting as ushers.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. Healdy and during the signing of the register Mr. W. Curtis sang "Because."

Mrs. Taylor wore a grey wool two piece dress complemented by a corsage of Tullman Roses. The groom's mother chose an ensemble of Turquoise and Brown with Tea Roses.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents where luncheon was served to sixty relatives and friends. The brides table was tastefully decorated with pink and

WEGENER — DAWKINS

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized in Calgary on Dec. 27, when Elsie Louise, youngest daughter of Mrs. M. Dawkins, was united in marriage to Frederick James Wegener, eldest son of Mr. F. Wegener.

The bride chose for the occasion a pretty blue suit with a corsage of pink carnations.

The bride's mother wore a navy suit and a rose corsage.

The bride and groom were attended by family friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Baker of Calgary.

In the evening a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, where immediate members of the two families enjoyed a buffet lunch and social evening.

For going away the bride donned a black dress with blue top coat and matching accessories. After a honeymoon in Calgary and vicinity the young couple plan to make their home at Strathmore.

CARSELAND MINORS TRIM BLACKIE 5-3

A Carseland Hockey team comprised of players 21 and under ventured to Blackie Friday, Jan. 9, and came home the visitors score 5-3. Elwin Harper did a brilliant job of net tending for Carseland.

white carnations, candles, and centered by a three tiered wedding cake.

Mr. P. B. Lawton proposed a toast to the bride, which was duly responded to by the groom.

Out of town guests present were: Mrs. Stafford of Edson, James Parker and Kenneth Knutich of Chancellor, Mrs. Geo. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. T. Envidsen, Roy and Sherman, Envidsen of Standard and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hemster of Calgary.

The couple will reside in Calgary for a short period where the groom is taking a course for officers training.

WHEATLAND NOTES

At the Annual Sub-Divisional Meeting held in Swallow on December 6 Mr. Ben O. Brown of Acme was elected as Divisional Trustee replacing Mr. Wm. Burns whose term had expired for Sub-Division No. 4.

At the Divisional Board Meeting held on December 19, authorization was given for the purchase of eight more typewriters from the Canadian Vocational Training surplus.

The old Grasswood School has been moved in to Rosebud and renovated for a classroom there. The Home Ec. Class will now be moved from the United Church basement to the School. Local power is being installed in the boys' Shop and essential power tools will be added to the equipment at Rosebud.

Mrs. Hazel White was engaged as teacher for Lorne School with duties to commence on January 5th, replacing the Correspondence supervisor there.

The quarantine has now been lifted from all of the Hutterite Colonies and Miss Winnifred Jackson has been engaged as teacher for Hines School, replacing the Correspondence Supervisor there. Mrs. Muriel Barbour has been placed at Newspringvale School replacing Miss Blaine who was transferred to Rockyford in December.

During the Christmas holidays, Glenorch School was placed over the full basement, which was excavated during the summer and a new furnace is being installed.

Provincial Seed Fair

The provincial seed fair will be held at Victoria Park, Calgary, on January 29, 30 and 31st, and exhibits are being solicited by the sponsors, the Calgary Board of Trade and the Calgary Exhibition Board. These exhibits must be delivered in Calgary not later than January 27th, and the clean grade must be ready not later than January 26th. Information is available on writing to C. A. Weir, Dominion Seed Branch, Calgary, or the Calgary Board of Trade.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

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TIME FOR STOCKTAKING

For the past couple of weeks and more many members of various business groups about the town have been seen running about with small slips of paper clutched in their hands, and mumbling to themselves about "three brown, and four in the end," and such odd incantations. It means they're taking inventory.

In a couple of weeks time, the citizens of Strathmore will also have an opportunity to take stock... of their own affairs. January 30 has been arranged as the annual meeting, and we hope that someone will turn up to see what has happened in the past year. We've heard sufficient outbursts about the high taxes that at least a dozen citizens should be out. And there are many more reasons to bring the burgesses to the meeting.

We hope they'll leave the curling rink or the hockey rink for half an hour or so.

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ELECTION TIME, AGAIN

Nominations and elections are only a few weeks off, and it was announced at the last Council meeting of the Town, that there would be three offices, that of mayor and two councillors to fill this year. Just for fun, we think, one councillor has suggested he'd like to see sufficient nominations to make an election this year and his suggestion was immediately taken up by a couple more members.

It seems that it's been quite a few years now since there has been a contested election in town, and it's just a thought, but an election might create a considerable interest in town affairs for a short time. We'd like to see anything of this nature to promote civic interest.

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IN THE SPORTING WORLD

We ran into an article the other day suggesting that it might be wise to discontinue the Olympic sports meets, and it may be that the writer has something.

He pointed out that the purpose of the Olympic international contest in sporting events was to promote friendly feelings between nations through the medium of sportsmanship. And then he pointed out that all the competitions seem to have done so far is to engender ill feelings among the nations competing.

We're not at all sure that they can easily be discontinued, but it might be looked into. If they have failed of their purpose, it would not seem wise to continue. And from where we sit, it seems that they have neither promoted the cause of international amity, nor have they promoted sportsmanship either.

ONLY A PROTEST

The Calgary Herald recently pointed out editorially that Canadian people seem to read one way and vote another, using as a basis the fact that no "progressive" (meaning as radical as you please) newspaper has ever been an outstanding success in this country, while large numbers of people obviously vote "progressive"... meaning CCF, Social Credit, L.P.P., and so forth. They point out that they vote this way, even though they read newspapers like The Calgary Herald for instance.

But the editor seems to have missed the obvious point in the basis of the voting of these people, which is that they were voting, not for a "progressive" or "radical" party, but voting against the established parties. In other words, a protest vote.

This fact should be obvious when it is considered the Saskatchewan voted CCF and Alberta Social Credit. The people only a hundred miles or so apart aren't a different race, or culture. They only chose these two different ways because it was what was offered in opposition.

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IT'S NOT ONLY WAR

General Sherman one time said that was hell, and probably he was right. But we wonder if he had taken a good look at peace when he said it.

Economic conditions in the country seem to be just as bad these days, whether viewed quickly on the surface, or viewed contemplatively. Particularly in the case of prices does the situation seem bad, because this is one place where it is hard to view the matter objectively... it hits nearly every one nearly every day.

The cost of pork has gone up, the cost of butter has gone up, the cost of coffee has gone up, the cost of tea has gone up, the cost of eggs seems likely to do, the cost of milk has gone up, the cost of bread has gone up, the cost of beef, of coal, of fruit and vegetables, of building, of clothing... of just about everything... seems on the rise.

If the present mine strike results in the wage increase the miners are asking for, it will obviously have to be paid by the man who buys and burns the coal. And we doubt if this man can afford to pay the miner a thousand dollars a year more than last year.

The carpenter is asking for another thirty-five cents an hour, which is bound to have the effect of cutting down the work offered carpenters. It has already been cut down by reason of the high prices prevailing in the building industry and the high cost of materials, which make it almost impossible for anyone but the wealthy to think of building.

Ottawa seems to be thinking of doing something with regard to re-imposing price controls, but it will have a tremendous difficult job. Controls at the present level, even, let alone a higher level, will work hardships on the working man's family, and lowering prices will mean endless rounds of wage arbitration again to reduce wages. Peace, it seems, may sometimes be hell also.

In Others' Words

We Are Misunderstood

They say there is only one thing worse than being misunderstood and that is being understood completely. However at the moment we are slightly soured at being misunderstood. In an editorial written several weeks ago we commented on the possibility that the Dominion Government would not lift the embargo on meat and cattle to United States.

An Eastern paper copied the editorial and said the Nanton News supported the demand of the cattlemen for the lifting of the embargo. Locally we were criticized for not supporting these demands.

Both misunderstood the editorial. It was a comment, not a statement of policy. The comment was, briefly, that we were betting that the embargo wouldn't be lifted because there are a lot more people eating meat in Canada than there are raising it and the consumer would probably have the last word.

However being misunderstood has goaded us into taking some sort of stand.

A short time ago we pointed out to a cattle raising friend that he had to buy himself and the recent price rises of pork were probably working a slight hardship on him. He answered tartly that he could

buy an awful lot of pork for the difference in price he would receive for his cattle if the embargo were lifted, and reminded us that we also raise cattle and pigs. We brooded over that remark and came up with the question of how many extra cars, trucks, shoes, loaves of bread, cigarettes, refrigerators, wristwatches, dog biscuits and rice crispies, the difference would buy.

If meat, bread and milk prices, rent, clothing prices go up the rises are very promptly reflected in other things on the market and if not in prices of commodities, then in strikes, shut-downs, and social unrest.

Everyone seems to be putting pressure into the balloon of rising prices now: industrial labor, producers of raw materials, manufacturers separately and together add a little more pressure. How soon is it going to go "Pop"?

On reading this over, we find that as usual we haven't taken a stand but rather made a statement of what we think is likely to happen. The fact that a lot of people think the same thing and no one does anything about it isn't going to make it easier to take when the balloon goes "Pop".

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Farmer's Column

by R. J. MILLIGAN

It is gratifying to know that one's work is appreciated. This office has been open since the first of August 1945, and during that time, many requests have been answered and farm contacts made.

To illustrate the progress being made, let me give a few statistics. During 1946 there were 4,400 pounds of forage crop seeds distributed, and in 1945, there were 5,959 pounds. The interesting point to note is that the farmers are now showing greater interest in the more expensive forage seed varieties, such as Creeping Red Fescue, Red Clover, and Alsike. All these add materially to the quality of the hay or pasture produced. By increasing the acreage of forage grown, our farmers are conserving their soil, and as an added feature, producing fatter livestock for market.

The farmers are paying for the agriculturalist service supplied by the Department and therefore they should avail themselves of this service.

It would be interesting to note the total statistics for the province compiled by the 33 District Agriculturalists. Here are a few statistics to illustrate some of the work done from our office in addition to other services rendered.

462 bulletins and circulars distributed.
539 farm visits
844 office interviews
734 letters and memos

503 telephone calls

33 district and town meetings with 2,187 persons in attendance.

(73 of the above farm visits were for livestock problems.)

How large an area is served by the Strathmore office? From Irricana in the northwest to Wayne in the northeast. The southeast corner is Armada south of Milo, and west to Blackie and north to Irricana. It has been estimated that there are approximately 3,600 farmers in my area with about 12,000 persons on these farms. It is impossible to contact each farmer individually on the farm; therefore, only by public meetings, community meetings and office interviews can these people be reached. You can assist the coverage by visiting the office or by sending a letter.

Our duties will stress soil conservation for the year 1948. All other activities will be allied with, or directed towards soil conservation. This applies to junior club work, forage, weed control, cereals, or any other phase of farming operations. We must save our soil for our children and for future generations. Speaking of our children, how many of you parents have a father and son agreement for your farm ownership and operations? You should have, if you intend your son to be a farmer.

I often wonder if we couldn't be more efficient if we had a board in each municipality that would plan work to be done by the Agriculturalist in that particular district. We have a service board in some of our M.D.s, but they are set by law as a three or five man board. The board

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Thirtle's Theatre

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Hussar O.E.S. Installs Officers.

On Saturday evening, January 2, the officers of Hussar Chapter No. 92, O.E.S. were installed. Mrs. M. Armitage, A.G.M. of the Grand Chapter of Alberta, was the Grand Installing officer assisted by Mr. H. Chamney, and Mrs. Margaret C. Bell. The Grand Marshal was Mrs. Sigrid Knudsen; and assisting was Mrs. Marie Larsen; the Grand Chaplain was Mrs. Rose Brown; Grand Organist, Mrs. Doris Stitt, A.G.M. Mrs. Evelyn Snyder, G. C. Mrs. Milly Wheatley, A.G.C. Mrs. Alice Field, G.W. Mrs. E. Brown and soloist, Mrs. Bessie Bloom.

The officers installed were.
W. Matron Mrs. Ellen Armstrong.
W. Patron Mr. Edward J. Bell.
A. Matron Mrs. Violet LeGrandeur.
A. Patron Mr. Jack L. Treacy.
Treasurer Mrs. Marie Larsen.
Conductress Mrs. Lily Treacy.
A. Conductress Mrs. S. Knudsen.
Chaplain Mrs. Leonore Dettmar.
Marshal Mrs. Mildred Simmons.
Organist Miss Ruth Brown.
Adah Mrs. Jessie Kirkpatrick.
Electa Mrs. Rose Brown.
Warder Mrs. Thelma Anderberg.
Sentinel Mr. Paul Larsen.
Both the immediate Past Matron, Mrs. Bessie Treend, and the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Ellen Armstrong, were the recipients of many bouquets of beautiful flowers and lovely gifts.

Edward C. Snider

BARRISTER & SOLICITOR

Announces that he has resumed the practice of law at 301-Grain Exchange Building, Calgary, Alberta.

The following were present from Calgary; Lt. Col. D. H. and Mrs. Tomlinson, Miss Ella C. Isaac, Miss Elsie Howard, Mrs. M. Howard, Mrs. Mabel Armitage and Mrs. B. Bloom; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Treacy of Edmonton; Mrs. Alice Field from Carlsland; and from Standard Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wagler, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Madson, and Mrs. Emmy Hansen.

The Hussar Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Hans Buckshmidt with Mrs. P. Pringle assisting hostess, on Thursday afternoon. Twenty five were present. Mrs. T. Birdett, the new president was chairman; and had plans made for finishing the Aid kitchen inside. It was decided to have a bank in which members are to deposit the amount of their age as a birthday offering, as one way of making money. Plans were made for a tea and sale of home cooking in April, and a whist drive in March. There were two interesting readings by Mrs. Lottie Saunders and Mrs. E. Seelye. The

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contest was won by Mrs. Seelye. Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Marie Larsen, with Mrs. L. Saunders assisting, February 12.

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FARMER'S COLUMN

I need for each district is about 20 interested farmers who will meet at least twice a year and plan the work to be done. It is almost impossible for one man to be acquainted with the problems of each enrolled municipality; let alone solve them or make the necessary contacts in such a large area, and effectively solve these problems. These farmer boards could be so organized as to cover each part of a district and intelligently present the problems they see in their own locality. The district agriculturist could at-

tend such meetings and either correct the difficulty at the time or get the required information and hold another meeting in that district, and thresh out the problems with the farmers being affected. In this way, we could plan for permanency of farming by having fine homes, farmsteads, and soil conservation.

The success of any project is measured by the number of participants. You also realize that most farmer-sponsored activities are successful, and for that reason I see the need for farmer agriculturist advisory boards to make my work more successful, and your farming more profitable. Let's get together and talk this over.

NOTICE

We will be cutting ice south of Carlsland from January 22 until February 7. Phone 1417, Strathmore.

J. S. Hayne

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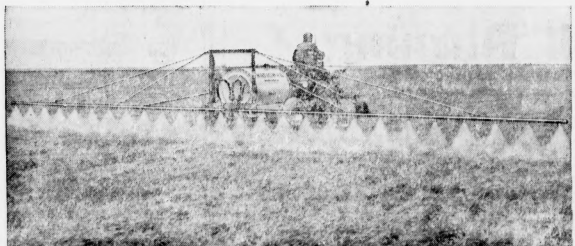
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CHANCELLOR NOTES

Martin Chilton was taken to the Holy Cross Hospital on Monday. We hope his illness is not too serious and wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. B. E. Plumer of Bassano was visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wheatley this week.

Charlie Madsen underwent an operation at Bassano Hospital this week. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Norman Olsen of Kimbolton, Iowa, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chris Jorgensen.

Mrs. J. M. Wheatley left on Sunday for a three months trip to London, England.

J. M. Wheatley attended the U. F. A. Convention at Edmonton this week. He was one of the Chairmen for the Convention, also Master of Ceremonies for the Dance.

A number of friends called on Pep Hansen on Thursday to congratulate him on his birthday.

STOBART

Mrs. Geo. Desjardine was a Calgary visitor one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Foster and Pat visited Sunday with relatives at Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hoicher and family of Rockyford and Mr. and Mrs. Blaney and Dianne were dinner guests at the McBean home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Tower were Calgary visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson, Morgan and Andy Johnson were dinner guests of Mrs. Ronesch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ferguson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lila and Kenneth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Collins.

Many friends called on Mrs. Hans Reiffenstein on Thursday to congratulate her on her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Christensen and Elvira arrived home on Friday from Los Angeles.

CLUNY NOTES

By Mrs. B. H.

The Board of Trade held their annual meeting in the hall Monday evening, January 5, with about 40 members present. They got off to a good start by a Moose Supper "For men only" at six thirty. The Do-Drop-In catered for rolls and pies and the Moose meat was provided by two of our big game hunters, Julian Nobert and Albert Maynard, and the men did their own cooking. Everyone reports a wonderful time.

The Board of Trade is very active being directly responsible for the hall of which the community is justly proud. Their aim now is to raise funds to completely finish the inside of the hall. They also maintain the skating rink in winter, and a tennis court and ball diamond in summer.

Total receipts for the year were \$2512.27 raised by dances and a sports day.

G. W. Beattie who has been President since organization retired this year and election of officers was as follows: President—E. Inman, Vice-President—G. W. Beattie, Sec. Treasurer—A. E. Scalfie, Executive W. Snideman, C. Corbelli, J. Reilly, A. Maynard, W. Haggerty, P. Ries, and A. Prowse, Sports and Entertainment Committee—P. Ries, J. Reilly, C. Schafer and A. E. Scalfie. The sympathy of the community is extended to the Korschuk family on the death of their father. The funeral was conducted from Jacques Funeral Home, Calgary, on Friday and was largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Snideman are the proud parents of a baby boy, born January 6 in the Holy Cross Hospital. Glad to hear mother and baby are now doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Helmche and family motored to Calgary Tuesday they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Graham and Mrs. W. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Spieidt and family spent several days in Calgary last week.

Mrs. P. DelHayes of Gleichen spent Tuesday at the home of her parents.

The pupils of Bow Valley School Division enjoyed a holiday Friday, as the teachers met in Cluny for a Teachers Institute Meeting.

The January meeting of the Cluny W.I. were held Thursday the 8th in the Club room of the community hall.

There were thirteen members and two visitors present; Mrs. L. Stewart, and Mrs. D. Desjardine were visitors.

After a short business meeting of which the high light was the reading of a Thank you letter from overseas, for our first gift parcel, the birthday raffles took place. The lucky winners were Mrs. L. Stewart and Mrs. Bailey.

The rest of the evening was spent playing Bridge and Whist, the highest score in each game, Mrs. Derrick and Mrs. Desjardine, were presented with nice receipt books. Mrs. J. Reilly and Mrs. J. Nobert were the recipients of the consolation prizes, which were just of

jelly.

Mrs. Beattie was hostess, assisted by Mrs. Summerville. A delicious lunch was served.

The birthday prizes were brought by Miss Simard, Mrs. Inman and Mrs. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Mutch of Carseland and Mr. and Mrs. Homes of Dalemead were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Inman.

Mrs. L. Haymond was a Calgary visitor Saturday.

Cluny and district were well represented at the wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Don McArthur in the Meadowbrook hall last Friday night the music was supplied by the Bremner Orchestra of Strathmore. There was a large crowd and from reports everyone enjoyed themselves.

CHEADLE NOTES

—By B. W.—

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. F. Cramer's sister-in-law and family were victims of the gas explosion in Turner Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dal Sperry and family of Cochrane dropped in on Mr. Mrs. and Bob Russell by plane last week. After lunch Bob and Dal took off and bagged three coyotes south Cheadle.

We are very sorry to report that Mrs. Bob Russell has been confined to bed.

We are glad to see Robert Jackson up and around after breaking his leg.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dunn and daughter are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Cramer.

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LANGDON NOTES

By G.E.W.

The regular meeting of the W.I. was held on Wednesday afternoon Jan. 7, in the Club rooms, when 16 members were present.

A busy afternoon was held. "Thank You" letters were read from recipients of overseas parcels sent from the W.I. at Langdon. Roll call was "My Most Appreciated Christmas Gift and answered by all. A tasty lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. E. Albertson, and Mrs. L. Anderson.

Val Barron is home for a month's holiday spending it with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Barron.

Mrs. C. V. Scott entertained at a dinner for the members of her family.

The Langdon lodge of the I.O.O.F. have added 6 new members to their list: these men were duly installed at Calgary on Tuesday evening, Jan. 6, in the I.O.O.F. Temple. They are J. Brander, C. Dumbleton, H. Mikkelsen, G. Newton, A. Warrack, and A. Watson.

Starting Monday evening, Jan. 12, and continuing for six weeks, the Langdon W.I. is holding a series of "500" card parties to be held in the hall starting at 8:00 sharp. Those who enjoy an evening of card playing are reminded to keep these dates open: Jan. 12-19-26 and Feb. 2-9-16. A grand prize will be given at the end of the series.

Mr. Harry Pinnegar, janitor of the schools, is in Calgary at present, having a check over at the Belcher Hospital. We hope to see Harry home again soon, feeling much better.

Mrs. Matul is home after her recent operation, and getting stronger every day.

Mrs. Ben Thomas of Indus received word of the sudden death of her father, Mr. Thomas W. Bloxham, 76, of Ogden on Saturday evening.

Mr. Bloxham came from Quebec City in 1912 to Calgary. He was a member of the Canadian Legion (Ogden Branch) serving with the 137th in the First Great War.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. W. Scott, Vancouver, Wash., and Mrs. Ben Thomas, Indus, 16 grandchildren, 5 great-grand children, and one brother, Robert, in England.

Funeral services will be held in Calgary. Rev. David Houghton officiating.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Thomas and family from Langdon and district.

Tragedy struck at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Hall about 2 weeks ago, when fire destroyed their home at Indus. Mr. and Mrs. Hall and 2 small children were away at the time spending the Christmas holidays with the latter's father, Mr. J. Thomas of Inisfail. Mrs. Hall is the niece of Mr. Frank Thomas of Langdon, and Wm. and Ben of Indus.

A shower is to be held for Mrs. Hall on Saturday afternoon at Indus.

CARSELAND NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Phyl Dick have returned home after visiting with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kline, of Falun.

Miss Sanders spent the weekend with her parents in Calgary.

Jim Baird and Frank Gilham have returned from the coast where Jim is taking up permanent residence, Grace Zelnick, Babs Gillespie, Helen McKinnon and Keith were weekend visitors from Calgary.

Mr. R. Sibley of Curdie spent a few days with his brother, Mr. Arthur Sibley, of Carseland.

Curling play offs in the mixed bonspiel were interrupted Sunday when a fire was discovered in Bill Cole's house about 1:45 p.m. Everyone was away watching the bonspiel at the time and when the fire was discovered it had a good start on the second floor. A faulty chimney was believed to have been the cause of the fire and the thick smoke and intense heat kept fire fighting operations at a minimum until chemical apparatus from Kruger's, Foster's and Chamber's was brought into use. The large crowd that came from the curling rink kept the fire confined to the upstairs premises. Strathmore fire brigade answered the call. Bill and Bea have moved in with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cole while the house is being repaired.

Mr. A. Ostrom and Mr. R. A. Bishop left Monday morning by train to attend the U.F.A. Convention at Edmonton.

Jean Beaver was visiting with her aunt, Mrs. E. Taylor, last week.

Winners of the Carseland district mixed bonspiel were as follows

Main Event
1st H. Way's team
2nd B. Field's team
3rd J. Groves's team
4th Virg Chamber's team

ARDENODE

By Mrs. H. S.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Godfrey entertained Wednesday last at late dinner for Mrs. Wanda Platt, Mr. A. C. Gillings, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. James and Barrie also Mr. and Mrs. E. Olson and Larry.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Brook entertained Wednesday evening at late dinner for Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Sarsons also Mr. P. E. Sarsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hartell and daughter, Phyllis, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Brook.

Mr. Emmett Wise had the misfortune to have his nose broken while playing hockey at Katyrn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Olson and Larry were Calgary visitors Saturday last.

We are sorry to hear of Mrs. L. M. Wise being in hospital. We sincerely hope she will be able to come home very soon feeling much better.

We seem to be having an epidemic of severe colds right now. Quite a number of people are sick. We hope everyone will soon be feeling better.

Consolations

1st T. Hildahl's team
2nd W. Nelson's team
3rd L. Winter's team

4th L. McKinnon's team

Mrs. W. Melendy.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Olson and Mrs. S. Melendy of Calgary spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and

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RURAL GLEICHEN

The regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion B.E.S.L. was held in the Legion Hall, Gleichen, Thursday evening with 25 members present.

The election of officers headed the agenda and the gathering voted President—Mrs. B. Oliver, 1st Vice President—Mrs. Wm. Thorburn, 2nd Vice President—Mrs. B. Has-Kayne, Secretary—Mrs. N. Sherbeck, Treasurer—Mrs. A. N. McLeay, Executive—Mrs. H. Bagiste, Mrs. E. Taylor, Miss Ruby Vandell, Miss Happy Mathison, and Mrs. W. Mathison.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to the retiring officers in the usual manner, following which the retiring president, Mrs. A. Peacock, served a delicious lunch to Auxiliary members.

Mr. O. Nerland went Monday morning by train to Edmonton where he will attend the U.F.A. Convention.

Election of officers headed the agenda resulting in: President—Mrs. G. Miller, Vice-President—Mrs. Wm. Schmidt, Secretary—Mrs. N. Sherbeck.

The Ladies Curling Club of Gleichen held their first meeting first of the year recently.

In honor of the newly married couple a huge crowd attended. A delightful evening ended by sing-

ing "They Are Jolly Good Fellows" and "God Save The King."

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Day of Mill and daughter Jean and Mr. Bill Peterson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. McLeay on Friday, later in the evening taking in the wedding dance at Meadowbrook Community Hall.

A large crowd attended the hockey game between Arrowwood and Gleichen Saturday evening on Meadowbrook ice. Score 5-3 for Arrowwood.

A Bulletin on highlights was read by Mrs. J. A. MacArthur, Mrs. N. McMillan, Mrs. A. N. McLeay, Mrs. E. Ethridge and Mrs. E. Walker.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. F. Sammons and Mrs. A. Quinnell for their excellent work the past year and each was presented with two cups and saucers.

Bridge was played for a short time after which a delicious lunch was served to U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. members by the lunch committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Fleury and family of Brooks visited with Mrs. Fleury's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.



Church Notes

ANGELICAN PARISH OF STRATHMORE — GLEICHEN
Sunday, January 18, 1948

Epiphany 2
St. Michael and All Angels—
8:30 a.m. Holy Communion
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
7:30 p.m. Evening Prayer
—followed by Young People's Meeting.

ARDENOPE—
12:00 noon Morning Prayer

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Mass every Sunday at 10:30 a.m., excepting the first Sunday of every month when Mass will be at 10:00 a.m.
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Services every Sunday, except the first Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m. Anglican service, at Carlsland.
10:30 a.m. Dalmecia (worship Service and Church school combined).

12:00 noon Carlsland (Worship Service and Church school combined).
3:00 p.m. Mossleigh (Worship Service and Church school combined).

Services on the first and third Sundays of the month—
12:00 noon Langdon (Worship Service and Church school combined).

3:00 p.m. Dalry-Lyalla at Lyalla
7:30 p.m. Kathryn

STRATHMORE UNITED CHURCH
11:00 a.m. Sunday School
7:30 p.m. Public Worship.
Namaka:
2:00 p.m. Church Service and Sunday School.

STANDARD LUTHERAN CHURCH
Saturday, Jan. 17, 2:30 The Confirmation Class will meet.

Sunday, Jan. 18, 10:30 Services
English 12:00 Sunday School and Bible Classes 2:30 Services, Danish 8:00 The Y.P.S. will meet.

Wednesday, Jan. 21 8:00 The Dore Society will meet in the parsonage.

LANGDON BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday 11:00 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.
7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service.
Thursday 8:00 Prayer and Praise
Friday 8:00 p.m. Young Peoples
Pulpit supplied from Calgary Prophetic Bible Institute.

ST. MICHAEL'S HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

In spite of the fact that a relatively small number of the Parishioners found it possible to attend, a most enjoyable and worthwhile Annual Meeting of the Parish of St. Michael's was held on Monday, January 12th in the Memorial Hall Dining Room.

Following a delightful supper prepared and served by the ladies of the Parish under the convener'ship of Mrs. G. H. Patrick, the meeting was called together by the Rev. D. A. Ford at 8:00 p.m. Reports were heard from the heads of the various organizations, together with reports from the Church Treasurer, L. A. Roberts and from the Vicar.

Owing to heavy expenditures towards the end of the year the financial statement showed outstanding accounts still to be met. With this in mind, the Parishioners had been asked to bring gifts to defray these bills. To the joy and surprise of all, these were more than met by very generous giving and the affairs of the Parish set in good order for the beginning of the year.

The following officers were appointed for the year:
(Lay Reader — Mr. G. H. Patrick)
Vicar's Warden — Mr. E. F. Thurston
People's Warden — Mr. H. T. Col-

boys
Delegates to Synod — Mr. S. H. Crowther
Mr. G. H. Patrick
Alternate Delegates — Mr. C. R. Gladden
Mr. P. W. Slater

Vestrymen — Messrs. H. Berry, F. Bissacre, W. H. Hartell, C. H. Harvey, H. W. Morgan, L. A. Roberts, John Davis, Ardenode, T. Hayne, Carlsland, C. R. Gladden, Nightingale.

Auditor — Mr. R. A. Ferguson.
Votes of thanks were then passed to those who had assisted in the work of the parish during the past year, and a meeting concluded with prayer by the Vicar.



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Before a large Saturday night, Strathmore Red Wings defeated a R.C.A.F. team from Calgary 5-2. The Strathmore team played one of their best games of the season and are showing much improvement every game.

Hagen in the Strathmore goal played his best game of the year in stopping the Calgary forwards on many occasions. Strathmore took a two goal lead in the first and second periods only to have Calgary come back and tie it up in the third. Strathmore then scored three quick goals to assure them of a win. Morgan and McParland paced Strathmore with two goals apiece, while McLauchlan got the other. Calgary goals were scored by Lavey and Ulstrom.

Lineups—

Strathmore: Hagen, Joel, Dawkins, Kimmitt, Morgan, Buchter; Subs: McLauchlan, McParland, Kernaghan, Cole, Roberts, Hartell and Robison.

Calgary—Buchanan, Boudis, Taylor, Lavery, Ulstrom, Livingston; Subs—Johannesson, Milks, Davies, Bell, McLarty, Lugg, Edworthy and Morrison.

Officials—Giroux and Keeling.

Summary—

1st Period 1 Strathmore McParland (Clayton) Penalties—Lone.

2nd Period 2 Strathmore Morgan (McLauchlan, McParland) Penalties Joel.

3rd Period 3 Calgary Lavery (Ul-

Curling Notes

The Executive of the Strathmore Curling Club met on January 11th, 1948 and the date for the Annual Bonspiel for Strathmore was set to commence on Monday, February 9. The entry fee for local members will be \$1.00 each and for local non-members \$2.00. There will be no charge for visiting rinks from other clubs.

Mr. James Swanson was engaged as Assistant Caretaker for about three hours in the morning and to assist in making ice when necessary.

It was decided that the rink will be open at 2:00 p.m. and close at 11:00 p.m. on week days and from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. on Sundays and that the ice would be made available as follows:

Ladies Rinks

Monday 4 sheets 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday 1 sheet 7:00 to 11:00 p.m.

Wednesday 4 sheets 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Thursday 1 sheet 7:00 to 11:00 p.m.

Friday 1 sheet 7:00 to 11:00 p.m.

Saturday 4 sheets 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

School Rinks

Tuesday 4 sheets 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Thursday 4 sheets 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Friday 4 sheets 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Monday 4, Calgary Ulstrom (Living-

ston) 5 Strathmore Morgan (Kimmitt)

6 Strathmore McParland (Dawkins)

7 Strathmore McLauchlan (Roberts) Penalties—Boudis.

MENS RINKS AS PER SCHEDULE and for VISITING RINKS when available.

It was decided to hold a Curling Club event on Friday, January 23, at which time the draw will be made for the Silver Set. The committee in charge is James McDougall and W. S. McNeill.

Spence Hughes and James Swanson are the committee in charge of entries for the McDonald Brier Mens playoff. One entry has already been received and any other rink wishing to challenge should notify the committee.

A High School rink is travelling to Bassano on Saturday to compete in the district playoff of the Miniature Brier Contest.

About seventy-five per cent of the members have paid their dues to date and if the balance will pay by the end of the week it is expected that a payment of \$1000.00 can be made on the building loan at this time. The ladies have been doing very well with the Coffee Counter and this will be a great help in clearing off the loan.

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NIGHTINGALE NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Joel are on a few weeks holiday in Vancouver. They will visit their son, Floyd, while away.

The prevalent flu has visited many homes in this community but all are making a rapid recovery.

When Mrs. Aho Walker returned to her home with her new son, Gordon Richard, she was very pleased to find a new electric plant had been installed in her home during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Harriman were New Years day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Hildahl at Morrin.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thurston Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thurston were New Years day visitors at the home of Reg Thurston.

Last Friday there was a jolly gathering at the hall when friends came from near and far to honor Mr. and Mrs. Carl Geeraert, nee Mary Alice Kinney. Mr. Leonard Edgar and Mr. L. Taylor supplied music for dancing and the crowd enjoyed the fun. During the supper hour a table was covered with many lovely gifts and Mr. Leonard Edgar, with his usual humor, presented the gifts to the newly weds. Carl and Mary each thanked all for the gifts and good wishes and for the real good time. The friends sang For They are Jolly Good Fellows. The fun lasted to an early hour and everyone had a jolly time. Mr. and Mrs. Geeraert will live in Rockyford.

Mrs. H. Christoffersen is substituting for Miss R. Deans, who has been ill at her home.

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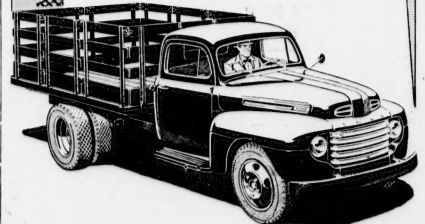
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Local News Items

The W.A. of Namaka met last Thursday at Mrs. Hamilton's home where they held their business session, later joining the Strathmore W.A. in the Church Memorial Room for refreshments and a happy social hour together.

The Annual Congregational Meeting of the United Church will be held Jan. 28.

Mrs. W. E. Thompson was again hostess Saturday last when she entertained quite a number of ladies at a delightful tea and interesting social afternoon.

Rev. Cannon Maddocks of St. Stephen's Church, Calgary, gave a very telling sermon last Friday evening in the week of Prayer Series taking as his topic the urgent need of every thinking person to do his utmost for the upbuilding of Peace in this troubled world.

Grass-pits seem to have a fascination for Bert Wyman. The first time he's ventured near one since his recent accident, he brushed on a small loose wire from a car, and slipped again. Only a scraped leg though.

The netted gem potato submitted by Master J. J. Van Bavel of Strathmore won 6th place in the Junior Potato Club at the Toronto Royal Winter Fair.

Mr. Jack Knight was a hospital patient for a couple of days last week, returning over the weekend, all fixed up.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Chase have each been victims of the prevailing flu.

Maureen Hilton unfortunately slipped on the ice at the rink recently and suffered a broken ankle.

T. S. Hughes and Keith Baldwin flew to Nipawin this week to watch the final games in the big bonspiel at that point.

Mrs. Julian returned home from hospital on Wednesday night, after spending almost a week there under treatment.

Little Edna Mercer had a birthday on Wednesday, and the family instituted a party to celebrate this first anniversary.

Mr. Fred Thurston is now improving after having been quite ill at his home for the past week.

Mrs. W. E. Julian is making satisfactory progress, but will be in hospital for a few days longer.

Capt. Tom Glendinning has returned to Fort Churchill after a visit of two weeks at his home in Strathmore.

Mrs. Ian MacKenzie was hostess at a very pleasant social afternoon at her home Wednesday, when she invited a few friends for tea.

Mrs. Bill Wyszynski is a visitor at the Vermont home this week, while her husband is relieving the station agent at Shepard. Next week they will return again to Gleichen for a short period.

COMING EVENTS

Regular clinics for infant and preschool children are held by the Wheatland Health District from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Strathmore the second and fourth Tuesday in each month. Carleton Place the second Friday in each month. Standard the third Thursday in each month. Rockyford the third Friday in each month.

The Health Unit will be closed in Strathmore on Saturday, Jan. 17. Rockyford Clinic will be held Jan. 23. Please note these changes.

The regular monthly dance at the Meadowbrook Hall will be held on January 16. Music will be supplied by Bud Schrader and his orchestra. 215c

The Annual Meeting of the United Church will be held on January 28 at 8 p.m.

The United Church Sunday School will hold its annual Bean Supper in the Memorial Room of the Church on January 28 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

The January meeting of the Strathmore H. & S. associations will be held in the United Church, Monday, January 26, at 8:00 p.m. Mr. Pannabaker, Supervisor of Guidance in the Calgary Schools, will be Guest Speaker.

All interested are cordially invited to be present. Keep this date free to hear this address.

Whist and Bridge at the Ardmore Hall Friday, Jan. 16, at 7:30 sharp.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary will be held Tuesday, January 20, at 8:00 p.m. in the Memorial Hall.

Election of officers for the coming year will be held.

NAMAKA NOTES

— By Mrs. E. B. —

The first card party of the season was held in the hall last Wednesday evening and arranged by Myron Hanson, Keith Wheeler and Andy Thomson. There were eleven tables of Bridge and Whist in play. High Scores in Bridge were Ladies: Mrs. Hazel Watson; Gents: Myron Hanson. High scores in Whist were Ladies: Mrs. H. Stettner; Gents: Mr. Ike Fawkes. The lucky winner of the money guessing contest was Mr. Herman Stettner. The next card party will be held on Jan. 21. The Namaka W.A. met at the home of Mrs. Hamilton in Strathmore on Jan. 8 with an attendance of 11. Mrs. A. Peterson, Mrs. E. Baker and Mrs. L. Aitkens gave readings on the translation of the Bible after which Mrs. N. Hanson led a discussion. As the Strathmore W.A. was meeting in the Church on the same afternoon, the Namaka ladies were invited over to join them in a very delicious lunch. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Stettner's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kermack and Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. W. Fawkes Jr. were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Aitkens and family.

Several of the town folks were guests of Gail Baker on Jan. 12, when they helped him celebrate his 6th birthday. After playing games and enjoying the birthday lunch, they all sang Happy Birthday and wished Gail many more happy

birthdays to come. Mr. and Mrs. Fedrean of Rosemary were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lepp and family. Len Wathen, Wm. Fawkes, H. Stettner and E. Baker motored to Rockyford on Monday where they took part in the annual Curling Bonspiel.

The next meeting of the Namaka Women's Hall Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Hall on Thursday, January 22. Everyone welcome.

Mr. Chester Peterson returned home after working for a time on the C.-K. Ranch at Calgary. Welcome home, Chester.

Miss Charlotte Peterson has returned home from hospital in Calgary where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. J. Alexander of Brownvale, Alberta, is visiting with his sister Mrs. R. H. Biggar and family for a short while.

A bit of excitement occurred here on Tuesday morning when it was discovered that 2 Indian horses had been run over by a train.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. K. A. McLaughlin (nee Winnifred Porteous) of Lytton, wish to announce the birth of a son, Douglas Gregory, at the General Hospital, Calgary, January 5, 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McKenzie of Strathmore, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Yvonne Vera, to Mr. Elmer Wallace Douglas of Gleichen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Douglas of Weyburn, Sask.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—WEANER AND FEEDER pigs. Apply W. A. Freeman, Ardmore. 28u

FOR SALE—6 TONS OF OAT HAY, \$18. per ton. Apply C. Putnam, Nightingale. 215p

FOR SALE—15 FT. AUGER for grain loader. A. Gervais, Lundy. 1c

FOR SALE—1 YORKSHIRE BOAR purebred. Phone 71. A. Klüber, Strathmore. 329c

FOR SALE—10 FEEDER PIGS. Apply Gordon Nelson, Strathmore. 1p

1 FRESH COW FOR SALE. C. Barber, Cheadle, Phone 1906, Strathmore. 1p

FOR SALE—SIX HOLE WHITE Emmet beach stove, A-1 condition. A. M. Moore, Carletonplace. 222p

3 YOUNG BOARS FOR SALE. Phone 1605, S. C. Sorensen, Strathmore. 329c

FOR SALE—MASSEY HARRIS Model 25 tractor 1940. Recently overhauled and good rubber. Price \$1250. Phone R112 Strathmore, H. C. Downey. 232c

FOR SALE—ONE YOUNG MILK to freshen in one week. 1 Spring-heifer. Feeder and weaner pigs. Apply R. E. Barlow, Phone 295 Langdon. 1c

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FOR SALE—1 NEW ELECTRIC Refrigerator. Phone 4 or 5 Standard. J. Smith. 232c

WANTED

CUSTOM GRAIN CLEANING Phone 1614, A. Grimshaw, Strathmore. 329c

PERSONAL

DO YOU NEED A SUPERIOR foundation garment? Call Mrs. Charlotte Stickney for expert fitting.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—GOLD BROACH AT Meadowbrook Hall Jan. 9. Owner can have same by identifying it and paying for this ad. Phone R310. 1p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—3 ROOMED SUITE in Strathmore. Apply Morely Deane at Strathmore Motors, 115c

MISCELLANEOUS

FLOORS SANDED OR FINISHED. City or country. Anderson Brothers. Phone H1283 Calgary. 315p

We will be cutting ice four and one half miles north of Gleichen from January 19 to 24, 1948, weather permitting. Price 75c per ton. Phone Gleichen 74, W. R. Hayes. 215c

FARMING NEWS

Produced by the Alberta Department of Agriculture

FERTILIZING PASTURES PAYS OFF

A recent survey showed the average Canadian farmer spends only about 10 per cent of his working time on pastures, devoting the remainder to the production of field crops. Practically the same holds true for the amount of money spent on these respective farm operations. Such a condition is entirely out of balance when one considers the farmers depend on pastures to feed their livestock from five to seven months a year.

The renovating and re-seeding of pastures has been long recommended by agronomists but not until the last few years has sufficient economic evidence been gathered to support such practices. Of the two, grass cost less and fertilizer is the first investment and the latter a solid investment.

Calculation of average returns from top-dressing pastures with fertilizer shows that for every dollar spent on plant food, five to ten dollars are received in value of increased pastures.

Present recommendations call for the application every two years of from 250 to 400 pounds of a fertilizer mixture high in phosphorus and with a medium level of potash. This should be supplemented by applications of nitrogen not ordinarily necessary on pastures which have a good stand of legumes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fawkes Jr. have moved into their own home.

A NEW MOVIE

CALLED

Mobile Power Farming

will be shown free to farmers in the vicinity of Strathmore on Friday, January 23 at Hirtle's Theatre at 2:30 p.m. by W. N. Jones of Strathmore Motors.

MOBILE POWER FARMING shows in color and sound the versatile working of the HYDRAULIC FARM-HAND.

Running for thirty minutes, this film depicts a variety of methods whereby the HYDRAULIC FARM-HAND may be adapted to useful work on practically every farm.

In addition there will be a comic short and a ten minute picture on a new soil conservation machine called the Prairie Mulcher which allows for mold board plowing, yet provides the protection of the new mulching methods.

This film will be shown to farmers in the Rockyford area on Saturday, Jan. 24 at 2:30 p.m. in the Rockyford theatre.

STRATHMORE MOTORS

CHEVROLET—
—DELAVAL—

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MINN. MOLINE—

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